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SUBJECT: AGREEMENT FOR SALES OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES
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REFS: A. AIDTO CIRCULAR A-487, JULY 6, 1974

B. STATE 296556, DECEMBER 13, 1977

1. A COMPARISON OF THE SUBJECT AGREEMENT WITH THE
NEGOTIATING INSTRUCTIONS CONTAINED IN REFERENCED MESSAGES
REVEALS A NUMBER OF ERRORS THAT WILL REQUIRE CORRECTION.
THE EMBASSY SHOULD SEND A NOTE TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE
SETTING OUT THE FOLLOWING ERRORS AND REQUESTING CORRECTION:

REFERENCE A:

-- 1. TITLE -- SHOULD INCLUDE AN ADDITIONAL LINE
READING "FOR SALES OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES".

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-- 2. PREAMBLE, PARA. 4, LINE 1 -- THE WORD "THE" SHOULD
BE ADDED BETWEEN THE WORDS "OF" AND "EXPORTING".

-- 3. PREAMBLE, PARA. 5, LINE 4 -- THE WORD "STATES"
SHOULD READ "STAGES".

-- 4. PART I, ARTICLE I, G, LINES 6 AND 7 -- THE PHRASE
"IN FAVOR OF THE SUPPLIER," SHOULD BE OMITTED.

-- 5. PART I, ARTICLE I, H, LINE 4 -- T'E WORD "OF" IS
MISSPELLED.

-- 6. PART I, ARTICLE II, D, 1, PARA. 2, LINE 5 -- THE
WORD "ANY" SHOULD BE CAPITALIZED.

-- 7. PART I, ARTICLE II, D, 2, A, LINE 3 -- THE PHRASE
"IN THE CALENDAR YEAR" SHOULD READ "IN EACH CALENDAR YEAR".

-- 8. PART I, ARTICLE III, B, LINE 2 -- THE WORD
"ENSURE" SHOULD READ "ASSURE".

REFERENCE B:

-- 9. PART II, I, COMMODITY TABLE -- HEADING OF THIRD
COLUMN SHOULD READ "APPROXIMATE MAXIMUM QUANTITY (METRIC
TONS)". (THE PARENTHESIS BEFORE T'E WORD "QUANTITY"
SHOULD OE DELETED AND A PARENTHESIS SHOULD BE ADDED
BEFORE THE WORD "METRIC".)

-- 10. PART II, II, 5 -- THE PHRASE "AFTER DATE OF LAST
DELIVERY OF COMMODITIES IN EACH CALENDAR YEAR" WAS OMITTED
AND SHOULD BE ADDED FOLLOWING THE WORDS "10 YEARS".
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2. THE EMBASSY SHOULD SEND A NOTE TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE
SETTING OUT THE ABOVE ERRORS AND REQUESTING THE FOREIGN
OFFICE TO MAKE THE CORRECTIONS ON THE ORIGINAL IN ITS
POSSESSION. AS SOON AS THE EMBASSY RECEIVES A NOTE FROM
THE FOREIGN OFFICE STATING THAT THE CORRECTIONS HAVE BEEN
MADE, ANY COPIES OF THE AGREEMENT IN THE EMBASSY'S FILES
SHOULD ALSO BE CORRECTED. THE ORIGINAL FOREIGN OFFICE
NOTE AND CERTIFIED COPY OF EMBASSY NOTE CONCERNING CORREC-
TIONS SHOULD BE SENT TO THE DEPARTMENT, ATTENTION OF THE
OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT LEGAL ADVISER FOR TREATY AFFAIRS.
THE ORIGINAL AGREEMENT IN THE DEPARTMENT WILL BE CORRECTED
ACCORDINGLY BEFORE PRINTING IN THE "TREATIES AND OTHER
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